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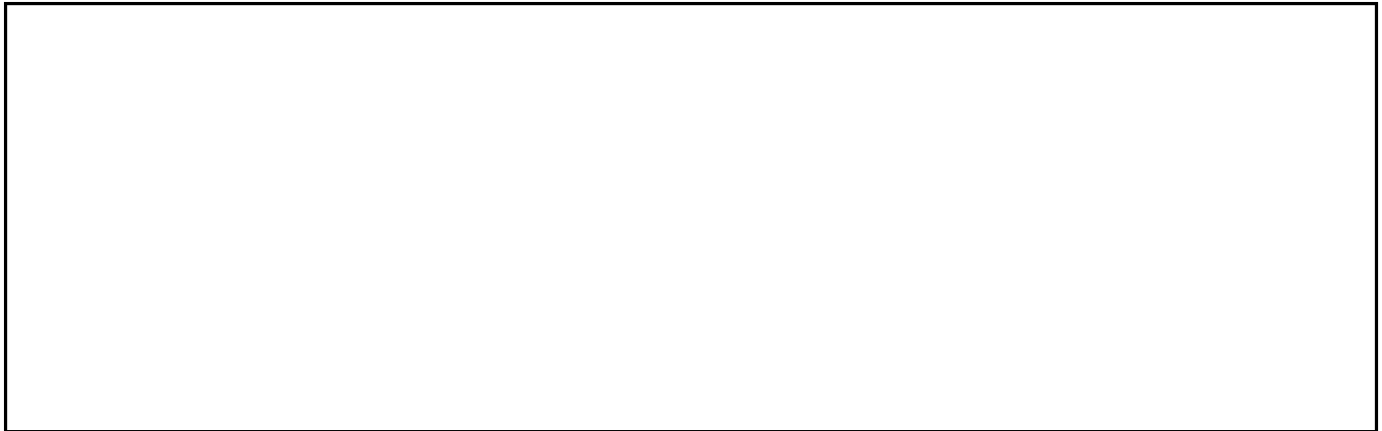
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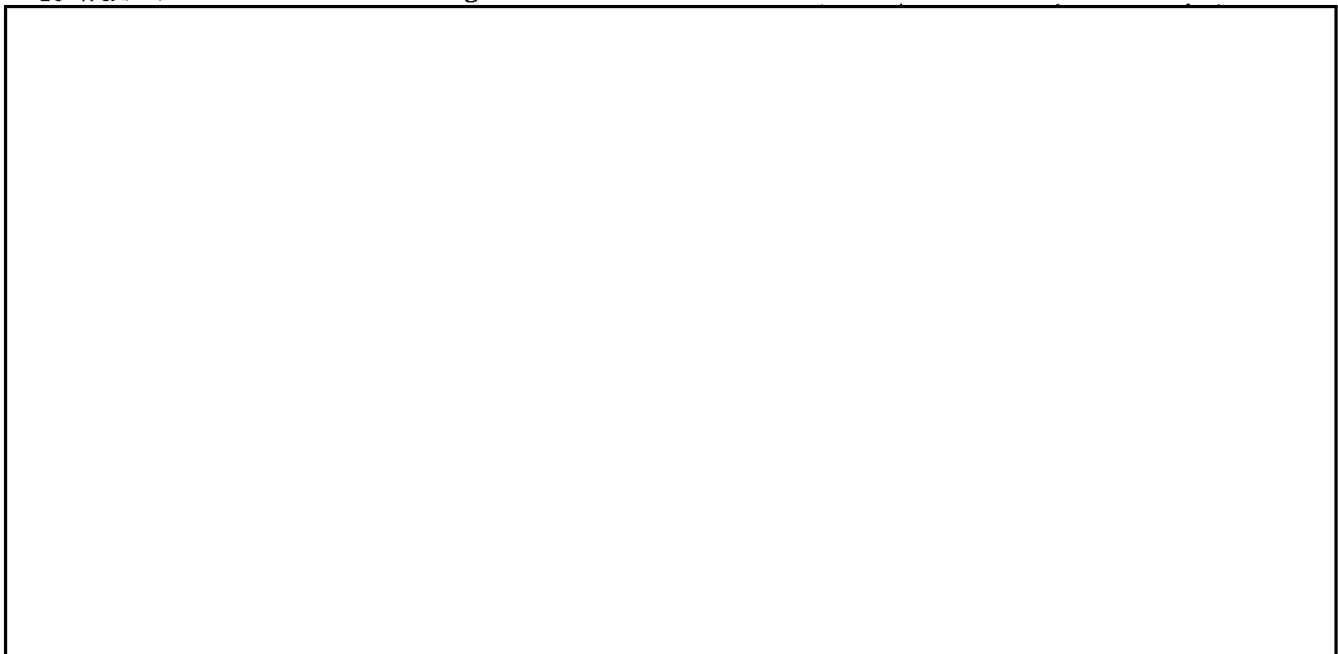
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2. (Secret - JMM) Briefed Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, on recent developments regarding Soviet SLBM program. Woodruff said that DIA had already briefed him on this "with the pictures," and it was an excellent briefing.

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4. (Internal Use Only - JMM) Talked to John Lehman, of the NSC staff, about our response to Senator Ervin's (D., N. C.) request for a report on our executive agreements with foreign countries. Lehman suggested I talk to Charles Bevans, of State.

5. (Internal Use Only - JMM) I called Charles Bevans, Assistant Legal Advisor for Treaty Affairs of the State Department, and we agreed on a text for our response to Senator Ervin saying that any such agreements in which the Agency has participated were being reported by the State Department.

6. (Unclassified - MMC) Received a call from Maurine Dantzic, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, regarding General Walters' nomination. She told me that the Senate did not call the executive calendar on Friday.

7. (Confidential - JMM) Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, called to ask that we provide him with the information for use in a possible speech by Senator Stennis (D., Miss.) in opposition to the Cooper bill (S. 2224) which would require that intelligence material be made freely available to the Congress.

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9. (Confidential - GLC) Met with Mr. Robert Willian, Senate Finance Committee staff, and discussed with him the action the Committee would take on H.R. 9900. Mr. Willian said they planned to report the bill out without any changes and gave no encouragement on the possibility of amending it to accommodate the Agency's needs. See Memorandum for the Record.

10. (Confidential - GLC) David Martin, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, called to advise that the Subcommittee would be going to press very shortly with the publication of the Nkrumah documents using a letter which they had obtained from the Department of State to support their authenticity. He said this publication would start a new series to be entitled "Communist Global Subversion and American Security." This specific document would be entitled "Attempted Communist Subversion of Africa Through Nkrumah's Ghana." Martin added that as soon as he finished writing an introductory commentary he would get a jacket number from GPO which he would pass on to us in the event our people wanted to "ride the jacket."

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12. (Internal Use Only - RJK) Delivered the Director's reply to an inquiry made by Senator Sam J. Ervin, Jr. (D., N.C.), Chairman of the Subcommittee on Separation of Powers of Senate Judiciary Committee.

13. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Talked to Mr. Gordon Murchie, USIA, who told me that he had not yet forwarded the question pertaining to Agency control of RFE and RL set forth in the long listing received from Senate Foreign Relations Committee. I told Mr. Murchie I would call him as soon as we had a chance to review the questions once we have them in hand. See Journal of 4 April 1972.

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25X1 14. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Talked to Mrs. Kathy O'Neill, in the office of Representative Richard Ichord (D., Mo.), who told me that Representative Ichord plans to be back in the city on Monday and that it would be best to talk to him on his return concerning his request to the Archivist of the United States for certain Warren Commission documents. Messrs. Houston, OGC, and [ ] CI Staff, have been advised.

25X1 15. (Unclassified - JGO) Received a call from Mr. J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, who asked if we had an English translation of an interview with Ernest Mandel that was reported in Der Spiegel. The item was supposedly reported on page 41 of a recent date. After checking with [ ] German Desk, I told Mr. Sourwine that we do not have a translation available. I identified the issue as 6 March. Mr. Sourwine thanked me for the assistance and said that he would go to the Library of Congress for the translation.

25X1 16. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Received a call from Mr. Carl Marcy, Chief of Staff, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who said that he had been queried by Steve Terry, Senator Aiken's (R., Vt.) Legislative Assistant, concerning the number of Catholics in North Vietnam and the number of Catholic churches. After checking with [ ] DDI, I advised that the 1971 figures indicated 1.2 million Catholics and 620 parishes. The number of churches does not relate to the number of parishes since some have both churches and chapels while others have neither and no current figure is available on churches.

17. (Confidential - JGO) Talked to Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, who told me that he will be unable to visit Headquarters before next Friday. Additional hearings relating to the war will be started some time during the week. We scheduled next Friday, 14 April, at 9:00 a.m. for Mr. Preston to visit Headquarters for briefing on the Agency budget and lunch. Mr. Briggs, OPPB, has been advised.

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